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## Across

- 7 Member of a West African people living chiefly in southwestern Nigeria (6)
- **8** Viking name for York (6)
- 9 English philanthropist who made contributions to a college in Connecticut that was renamed in his honour (1649-1721) (4)
- 10 Town on the Isle of Wight, England (8)
- 11 Hat made of felt with a creased crown (7)
- **13** Industrial city in eastern France to the north of Lyons (5)
- 15 Largest city in Africa (5)
- 17 First of the Old Testament patriarchs (7)
- 20 British inventor and metallurgist who developed a process that is named after him (8)
- 21 German baroque organist and contrapuntist who composed mostly keyboard music; one of the greatest creators of Western music (4)
- **22** Royal family that ruled Scotland from 1371-1714 and ruled England from 1603 to 1649 and again from 1660 to 1714 (6)
- 23 English novelist noted for her insightful portrayals of middle-class families (6)

## Down

- 1 United States film actor (1899-1957) (6)
- 2 One of the four Gospels in the New Testament; contains details of Jesus's birth and early life (4)
- 3 Chief city of ancient Mesopotamia (7)
- 4 Elastic fabric used for making tight-fitting sportswear (5)
- 5 Ancient region of NM France between the Eeine and the Loire (8)
- 6 Florentine painter who gave up the stiff Byzantine style and developed a more naturalistic style; considered the greatest Italian painter prior to the Renaissance (6)
- 12 Blind prophet of Thebes who revealed to Oedipus that Oedipus had murdered his father and married his mother (8)
- 14 Village in South Wales, scene of a disaster when a slag heap collapsed (7)
- 16 One of the three Furies (6)
- 18 City in western Germany near the Dutch and Belgian borders; formerly it was Charlemagne's northern capital (6)
- 19 Italian violin maker in Cremona; taught the craft to Guarneri and Stradivari (1596-1684) (5)

21 Northern Irish footballer, winger for Manchester United, named European footballer of the year in 1968 (4)